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By the KING,
A PROCLAMATION,

For encouraging Seamen to enter themſelves on Board His Majeſty's Ships of War.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS it is Our Royal Intention to give all due Encouragement to all ſuch Seamen, who ſhall voluntarily enter themſelves in Our Service; We have thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy Council, to publiſh this Our Royal Proclamation: And We do hereby promiſe and declare, That all ſuch Able Seamen, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, fit for Our Service, who ſhall, on or before the 31ſt Day of December next, voluntarily enter themſelves to ſerve in Our Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of Our Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board ſuch Tenders as ſhall be employed for raiſing Men for the Service of Our Navy, ſhall receive, as Our Royal Bounty, the Sum of Five Pounds each Man; and all ſuch Ordinary Seamen, fit for Our Service, who ſhall ſo enter themſelves as aforeſaid, ſhall receive the Sum of Two Pounds Ten Shillings each Man, as Our Royal Bounty, in Lieu of all other Bounties mentioned in Our Proclamation dated the 22d Day of March laſt, and Our Orders in Council of the 1ſt of May, the 21ſt of June, and 21ſt of Auguſt following; ſuch reſpective Sums to be paid them by the reſpective Clerks of the Cheque reſiding at the Ports or Places where the Ships, into which they ſhall be entered, ſhall be, immediately after the Third Muſter of ſuch Seamen: And We do declare, that the Qualifications of the Seamen ſo entering themſelves as aforeſaid, ſhall be certified by the Captain, Maſter, and Boatſwain of the Ship or Veſſel where they ſhall enter. And for Prevention of any Abuſes by any Perſons leaving the Veſſels to which they ſhall belong, and entering themſelves on Board any other Ships or Veſſels, in order to obtain the ſaid Bounty-Money; We do hereby Declare and Command, that ſuch Seamen belonging to any of our Ships or Veſſels, as ſhall abſent themſelves from any of the ſaid Ships or Veſſels to which they ſhall belong, and ſhall enter themſelves on Board any other of our ſaid Ships or Veſſels, in order to obtain the ſaid Bounty, ſhall not only loſe the Wages due to them in the Ships or Veſſels they ſhall leave, but alſo be ſeverely puniſhed according to their Demerits.

Given at Our Court at *St. James's*, the Twenty-fifth Day of *October*, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy-ſix, in the Seventeenth Year of Our Reign.

GOD ſave the KING.

St. James's, October 30.

HIS Majeſty in Council was this Day pleaſed to order that a General Faſt ſhould be obſerved throughout the Kingdom of Ireland, upon Friday the 13th Day of December next, being the Day appointed for the Faſt in England; and to that End His Majeſty hath thought proper to direct the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to cauſe a Proclamation to be forthwith publiſhed in that Kingdom.

Admiralty-Office, November 5, 1776.

MY Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty are hereby pleaſed to give Notice, that Directions have been ſent to the Lieutenants who are employed on or about the River Thames in procuring Men for His Majeſty's Ships which are fitting out, not to impreſs the Maſters of any ſmall Boats, commonly called Peter Boats, employed on the ſaid River in catching Fiſh for the Supply of the City of London, provided the ſaid Perſons are actually Maſters of the ſaid Boats, and are not Seamen.

Ph. Stephens.

Admiralty Office, November 5, 1776.

IT is the Direction of my Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, That ſuch of the Lieutenants of His Majeſty's Navy as are now unemployed, and have not already tranſmitted to this Office the Names of the Places of their Abode, do forthwith tranſmit the ſame, that they may be ſent to when His Majeſty's Service may require their Attendance: And it is their Lordſhips farther Direction, That all ſuch Lieutenants unemployed as are unable to ſerve, do immediately tranſmit to me, for their Lordſhips Information, the particular Circumſtances of their Inability.

Ph. Stephens.

War-Office, November 5, 1776.

1ſt Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Major Anthony Lovibond is appointed to be Major, vice Charles Hamilton.

Ditto, Lieutenant Hatton Flood to be Captain, vice Anthouy Lovibond.

Ditto, Cornet Edward Payne to be Lieutenant, vice Hatton Flood.

Ditto, George Charles Brathwaite, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Edward Payne.

Ditto, Lieutenant John Prince to be Adjutant, vice Hatton Flood.

2d Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Charles Combers to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Stifted.

Ditto, Calverly Bewicke, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Charles Combers.

3d Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant John Otway Wynyard, from the 3d, Foot, to be Enſign, vice Gilbert Roberts.

Royals, 1ſt Battalion, Enſign Juſtly Watſon Green to be Lieutenant, vice James Scrimger.

Royals, 2d Battalion, Captain James Lumſdaine to be Major, vice Henry Balfour.

Ditto, Lieutenant Stephen Gually to be Captain, vice James Lumſdaine.

Ditto, Enſign Thomas Mylles Riddell to be Lieutenant, vice Stephen Gually.

Ditto, Colin Campbell, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Thomas Mylles Riddell.

4th Regiment of Foot, Thomas Lawrence, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Peter Kemble.

22d Regiment of Foot, Hugh Wallace, Gent. to be Enſign, vice George Auguſtus Cuninghame.

25th Regiment of Foot, Captain-Lieutenant William St. Clair to be Captain, vice George Symmes.

Ditto, Lieutenant Charles Smith to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice William St. Clair.

Ditto, Enſign William Adair to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Smith.

26th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Robert Thomas to be Lieutenant, vice William Smibert.

Ditto, Bulſtrode Whitlocke, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Robert Thomas.

Price Threepence-Halfpenny.

Cuſtom-houſe, Edinburgh, October 31, 1776.

IN Purſuance of the Directions of the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, founded upon the Statute of the 11th of George III. the Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms at Edinburgh do hereby give Notice, That the Receiver-General of the Cuſtoms will be ready, at his Office at Edinburgh, on the 2d of December next, to pay and diſcharge the Bounties for the following Buſſes, fitted out and employed in the Herring-Fiſhery in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, in the Years 1767-8, 1769-70, *and* 1770-1, *excepting ſuch as there may be legal Objections to, viz.*

Peggy of Jura
Peggy of Iſlay
Argyle of Campbeltown
Lady Largiè of Iſlay
Henrietta of Saltcoats
Carwhine of Eaſdale
Holburn of Campbeltown
Mary and Janet of ditto
Alexander of ditto
Symbeſter of ditto
Jean of Air
Anderſon of ditto
Aliſon of Saltcoats
Montgomery of Girvan
Katty of Fort William
Montague of Rothſay
Betty of Saltcoats
William and Mary of ditto
Prince of Wales of Campbeltown
King George of ditto
Iſabella of ditto
Elizabeth of ditto
Peggy of Air
Martha of Saltcoats
Catharine of Campbeltown
Jean and Mary of ditto
Lochnell of ditto
Jean and Betty of ditto
Endeavour of ditto
Providence of ditto
Daniel of Campbeltown

Matilda of ditto
Betty of ditto
Rubie of ditto
Betty of ditto
Peggy and Nelly of ditto
Jolly Batchelors of ditto
Three Batchelors of ditto
Betty of ditto
Riſing Sun of ditto
Anns of ditto
Lady Auguſta of Mull
Marquiſs of Lorn of ditto
Spaedwell of Tarbert
Mally of Oranſay
James of Gigha
Mally and Ann of Campbelltown
Robert of Colinſay
Giels of Campbelltown
Johns and William of ditto
Ann of ditto
Ann of Saltcoats
Fox of Air
Bells of Campbeltown
Iſabellas of ditto
Ann and Mary of Montroſe
Hope of ditto
Fortunate Mally of Air
Providence of Campbeltown
William and Archibald of ditto
Friendſhip of Tarbert
Catharine of ditto

Jenny of ditto
Ann of ditto
Peggy of Campbeltown
Betty of Achnaba
Lady Wallace of Air
Peggy of Lochnell
Gallanach of Jura
Peggy of Mull
Charlotte of Craigniſh
King's Fiſher of Inverary
Hope of Montroſe
Induſtrious Bee of Stornaway
Sibella of ditto
Jenny of Caradell
Louden of Campeltown
Loyal Bounty of ditto
Betty of ditto
Fortunate Mally of Air
Peggy of ditto
Anderſon of ditto
Jean of ditto
Beggars Benniſon of Stromneſs
Mally and Ann of Campbellown
Peggy and Nelly of ditto
Katy of Fort William
Grizel of Stornaway
Jean and Mary of Campbeltown
Flora of Iſlay
Peggy of Greenock

Together with the Intereſt due on ſuch Bounties to the 2d of December 1776, *inclusive; from and after which Time Intereſt will ceaſe in Purſuance of the ſaid recited Act.*

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
Richard Elliſton Philips, *Secretary.*

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich,
Auguſt 3, 1776.

THE Commiſſioners and Governors of the ſaid Royal Hoſpital do hereby give Notice, that at Salters-Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 5th of February next, or as ſoon after as may be, Fourſtones Colliery in the County of Northumberland, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Henry Errington, Eſq; will be lett on Leaſe for Two Years, to commence from the 12th Day of May, 1777. All Perſons willing to take the ſaid Colliery are deſired to give in their Propoſals in Writing to Mr. Ibbetſon, at the Admiralty Office, London.

Note, The ſaid Commiſſioners and Governors will reſerve a Power of new winning the ſaid Colliery, in ſuch Manner as they ſhall judge proper; and the Perſon or Perſons to whom the Colliery ſhall be lett, for the ſaid Term, are to be reſtrained from working any of the whole Coal, which ſhall be won or laid dry, by any new Winning made at the Expence of the ſaid Commiſſioners and Governors.

J. Ibbetſon, *Secretary.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Truſtees for making, widening, and keeping in Repair ſeveral Roads in the ſeveral Pariſhes of Lambeth, Newington, St. George Southwark, and Bermondſey, in the County of Surrey, is appointed to be held at the Royal Oak Inn, at Vauxhall, on Saturday the 16th Day of November inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to receive the Report of the Committee of the ſaid Truſtees, to whom it was referred to conſider of a Scheme for the Lighting and Watching the Roads from Kennington Turnpike, &c. and for other Buſineſs relating to the Truſt. Dated the 1ſt Day of November, 1776.

Thomas Swabey, *Clerk.*

Cuſtom-Houſe, London.

FOR SALE,

BY Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, in the Long Room at the Cuſtom-Houſe, on Thurſday the 21ſt of November, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 6, 8, and 10 Hhds. each.

SUGAR.

Hh.	T.	B.	
139	0	0	Barbadoes.
244	95	34	Antigua.
101	156	215	St. Kitts.
97	27	4	Nevis.
49	39	52	Montſerrat.
40	0	0	Tobago.

54 Barrels Ginger, and 60 Bags Cotton, from Grenada.

Samples to be ſeen in Wycherley's-yard, oppoſite Bear Key, Tueſday the 19th, Wedneſday the 20th, and Thurſday the 21ſt Inſtant.

Blenheim, November 4, 1776.

HIS Majeſty's Lieutenant of the County of Oxford hereby gives Notice, that there is a Want of Officers to ſerve in the Militia of the ſaid County: All Gentlemen, therefore, who are qualified and willing to ſerve, are deſired to return their Names and Intention to His Majeſty's ſaid Lieutenant, or in his Abſence to any General Quarter Seſſions for the ſaid County.

MARLBOROUGH.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Aaron Lara, late of Church-row, Houndſditch, London, Broker, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

Lawrence-lane, London.

WE, the under-named John Shuttleworth and Thomas Magnall, Warehouſemen and late Partners, do hereby give Notice, that the Partnerſhip heretofore ſubſiſting between us was, on the 31ſt Day of Auguſt laſt, diſſolved; and that the Buſineſs will, for the future, be carried on by the ſaid John Shuttleworth, who has full Power and Authority not only to receive but to pay all Debts owing to or from the ſaid Partnerſhip. Given under our Hands, this 4th Day of November, 1776.

John Shuttleworth.
Tho. Magnall.

Preſton, October 20, 1776.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Dividend of Five Shillings in the Pound of the Eſtate and Effects of Mr. Oliver Farrer, late of Preſton in the County Palatine of Lancaſter, Liquor-merchant, will be made at Mr. Bickerſtaff's Office in Preſton aforeſaid, on Monday the 25th Day of November next, to ſuch of his Creditors as are willing to accept of the ſame under the Aſſignment heretofore advertiſed, and who will ſend a particular Account of their reſpective Demands forthwith to the ſaid Mr. Bickerſtaff; and all Perſons who are anyways indebted to the ſaid Mr. Farrer, are requeſted to pay the ſame immediately, or proper Steps will be took to compel Payment thereof without further Notice.

THE Creditors (if any) of Mr. John Micklam, late of Bowley in the Pariſh of Pagham in the County of Suſſex, Yeoman, deceaſed, who have not tranſmitted Accounts of their Demands, are deſired to ſend ſuch Accounts to Mr. Henry Halſted, of Weſt Stoke near Chicheſter in the ſaid County, Yeoman, or Mr. Thomas Halſted, of Merſton near the ſame City, Yeoman, Truſtees under the Will of the ſaid John Micklam, on or before the laſt Day of November next, in order to enable the ſaid Truſtees to calculate what Dividend the Eſtates and Effects of the ſaid John Micklam will amount to diſcharge.

THE Executors in Truſt of the Will of Robert Boyce, late of Scarborough in Yorkſhire, Innholder, deceaſed, hereby give Notice to his Creditors, that they intend to meet on Thurſday and Friday, the 14th and 15th Days of November next, at the Office of Mr. John Hebb, Attorney, in Scarborough, to pay the ſaid Creditors; and ſuch Perſons as have not delivered an Account of their Demands are deſired to ſend the ſame to Mr. Hebb, on or before the 13th Day of November, or they will be excluded; and ſuch Perſons as are indebted to the ſaid Robert Boyce, are requeſted to make Payment to Mr. Hebb, on or before the ſaid 13th of November, otherwiſe they will be ſued without farther Notice. Dated the 21ſt Day of October, 1776.

THE Repreſentatives and Aſſignees of the Creditors of William Hankins, late of Northampton, Mercer and Draper, (a Bankrupt) deceaſed, who have proved their Debts under his Commiſſion, and received a Dividend of 15s. 8d. in the Pound, are deſired to tranſmit, before the Firſt of December, 1776, Teſtimonials of their Repreſentation, to Mr. James Carr or Mr. William Carr, of Preſton in Lancaſhire, Executors of the Will of George Legh, LL. D. late Vicar of Halifax, or to Mr. Geldard, of Staple-inn, London, that they may be examined, previous to Notice of the Payment of ſuch unſatisfied Debts out of a Benefaction given by the Will of Dr. Legh, for that Purpoſe; which Payment will be made in London, and Notice given in The London Gazette.

THE Aſſignees of Lockhart Gordon, Officer, deſire a Meeting of his Creditors at the Crown and Anchor Tavern in the Strand, on Wedneſday the 6th Day of this Inſtant November, at Six in the Evening, for the Purpoſes of reviving a Suit in Chancery, and commencing Actions at Law. Dated the 5th of November, 1776.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Maſon and Peter Simon, of Brown's-lane, Spital-fields, in the County of Middleſex, Dryſalters and Partners, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, at Batſon's Coffee-houſe, in Cornhill, London, in order to aſſent or diſſent to the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity; and to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Thomas Harriſon, late of Barnaby-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondſey in the County of Surry, and Francis Thompſon, late of George-yard, Tower-hill, London, Coal-factors, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects, on Friday the 15th of November inſtant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's Head Tavern in the Poultry, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees entering into an Agreement to indemnify ſuch Perſon as ſhall take out Adminiſtration to the Effects of Thomas Wall, late of London, Coal-factor, deceaſed Inteſtate, againſt any Expences that may be incurred by ſuch intended Adminiſtrator; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Erasmus James, of the Pariſh of Falmouth in the County of Cornwall, Rope-maker and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Saturday the 23d Day of November inſtant, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Royal Standard, in Falmouth in the County of Cornwall, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Bankrupt's Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PURſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Henry Earl Bathurſt, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Thomas Walker, of Whitechapel in the County of Middleſex, Corn-chandler, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 2d Day of November inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the major Part of the Commiſſioners named in the ſaid Commiſſion intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of December next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, between the Hours of Eleven and One o'Clock of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Lingham Weaver, late of Worthin in the Pariſh of Worthin in the County of Salop, Dealer and Chapman, (but now a Priſoner in His Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet) and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 21ſt Days of November inſtant, and on the 17th Day of December next, at Five in the Afternoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. George Parrott, Attorney, New Inn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Ambroſe Shears, of Peter-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. Andrew Holborn in the County of Middleſex, Timber-merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 14th and 21ſt Days of November inſtant, and on the 17th Day of December next, at the Five o'Clock in the Afternoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Barnard, Bartlett's-buildings, Holborn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Frederick Remy and Thomas Lewis the Younger, of the Strand in the Liberty of Weſtminſter in the County of Middleſex, Chymiſts and Perfumers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 30th Days of November inſtant, and on the 17th Day of December next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Hilditch and Son, Gough-ſtreet, Fleet-ſtreet, London.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt iſſued againſt John Ayliffe, late of Blandford in the County of Dorſet, Dealer and Chapman, deceaſed, give Notice, that at a Meeting of the Creditors the 2d Day of October laſt, Charles Prater, of the City of New Sarum, Wilts, Baker, and John Ayliffe